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January 11, 1991

Ms. Angela Agabiti
New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection
Division of Water Resources
Bureau of Information Systems
401 E. State Street
CN-029
Trenton, NJ 08625

Re: <u>Application for NJDPES/SIU Permit</u>
<u>Former Hexcel Corporation Facility, Lodi, New Jersey</u>

Dear Ms. Agabiti:

Please find enclosed forms CP-1, WQM-1, and NJDPES-1(L) and attachments which are submitted in application for Significant Industrial User (SIU) Permit. This permit is requested for indirect discharge to a domestic treatment works (DTW) from the former Hexcel facility in Lodi, New Jersey, currently owned and operated by Fine Organics Corporation, in response to the requirements of ECRA Case No. 86009.

The SIU permit is requested for discharge of treated ground water to the Passaic Valley Sewerage Commissioners (PVSC) Treatment Works. PVSC has granted approval for this discharge and has modified the facility's permit (Permit #17405042) accordingly, as indicated in the approval letter in Attachment A.

Form WQM-3, which is also required as part of this application, has been submitted by certified mail to the appropriate agencies for endorsements, as indicated in the copies of the accompanying cover letter included in Attachment B. This form will be submitted to your department immediately following our receipt of the signed copies.

Because the ground water treatment system has not yet been installed, effluent data from the treatment system is not available. As directed by a member of your staff, we have instead supplied water quality data for the untreated ground water in Form NJPDES-1 (L).

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Please note this application was originally submitted on May 28, 1990. The Bureau of Industrial Discharge Permits determined that a NJPDES/SIU permit was not required and that the facility shall be deemed to possess a NJPDES/SIU permit-by-rule, as indicated by the July 25, 1990 letter included in Attachment C. The Bureau of Industrial Discharge Permits later determined that a NJDPES/SIU permit would in fact be required, as indicated in the December 4, 1990 letter included in Attachment D.

If you have any questions concerning this application, please contact the undersigned at (415) 828-4200 or Renée van de Griend of ENVIRON Corporation at (415) 655-7400.

Sincerely yours,

A. William Nosil

Corporate Environmental Engineering Manager

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cc: Gary Sanderson, NJDEP

Jim Higdon, Fine Organics Corporation

Frank D'Ascensio, PVSC